

SESSION II.
1923.
NEW ZEALAND.

NO-LICENSE DISTRICTS

CHARGES AND CONVICTIONS FOR DRUNKENNESS IN, AND QUANTITY AND KIND OF LIQUOR SENT INTO) DURING THE YEAR 1922.

Return to an Order of the House of Representatives dated 23rd July, 1923.

Ordered, "That there be laid before this House a return showing separately—(1) The number of charges and convictions for offences for drunkenness, and the number of persons so convicted under twenty-one years of age, also the number between twenty-one and twenty-five, and the number above twenty-five years of age in each no-license district from the 1st January to the 31st December, 1922; and (2) the quantity and kind of liquor sent into each no-license district from the 1st January to the 31st December, 1922."—(Mr. ISITT.)

(1.) RETURN SHOWING THE NUMBER OF CHARGES AND CONVICTIONS FOR DRUNKENNESS AND THE NUMBER OF PERSONS SO CONVICTED UNDER TWENTY-ONE YEARS OF AGE, THE NUMBER BETWEEN TWENTY-ONE AND TWENTY-FIVE YEARS OF AGE, AND THE NUMBER ABOVE TWENTY-FIVE YEARS OF AGE, IN EACH NO-LICENSE DISTRICT, FROM THE 1ST JANUARY TO THE 31ST DECEMBER, 1922.

District and Court.	Ages.				Total.
	Under 21.	21 and under 25.	25 and over.	Not stated.	
Ohinemuri—					
Paeroa	1	..	8	..	9
Waihi .. .. .	..	1	1	10	12
Totals	1	1	9	10	21
Masterton—					
Eketahuna .. ..	..	..	..	..	..
Masterton .. ..	..	1	23	5	29
Pongaroa	1	..	3	..	4
Totals	1	1	26	5	33
Ashburton—					
Ashburton	2	1	34	8	45
Totals	2	1	34	8	45
Oamaru—					
Hampden .. ..	..	..	..	..	..
Oamaru .. .. .	..	1	46	..	47
Palmerston .. ..	..	..	..	..	..
Totals .. .. .	..	1	46	..	47

(1.) RETURN SHOWING THE NUMBER OF CHARGES AND CONVICTIONS FOR DRUNKENNESS, ETC.—*contd.*

District and Court.	Ages.				Total.
	Under 21.	21 and under 25.	25 and over.	Not stated.	
Clutha—					
Kaitangata .. ..	..	..	2	..	2
Lawrence .. ..	..	..	3	1	4
Milton .. ..	..	1	3	4	8
Balclutha .. ..	..	..	1	1	2
Clinton .. ..	..	..	..	..	..
Owaka .. ..	..	..	..	4	4
Totals .. ..	..	1	9	10	20
Mataura—					
Gore .. ..	..	..	6	5	11
Mataura .. ..	..	..	2	..	2
Tapanui .. ..	..	..	..	2	2
Wyndham .. ..	..	..	..	6	6
Totals .. ..	..	..	8	13	21
Invercargill—					
Invercargill .. ..	..	11	46	4	61
Totals .. ..	..	11	46	4	61
Grand totals	4	16	178	50	248

(2.) RETURN SHOWING THE QUANTITY OF LIQUOR SENT INTO EACH NO-LICENSE DISTRICT FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31ST DECEMBER, 1922.

Place.	Beer and Stout.	Brandy.	Gin and Schnapps.	Rum.	Whisky.	Wine.	Total.
	Gallons.	Gallons.	Gallons.	Gallons.	Gallons.	Gallons.	Gallons.
Ashburton	24,322 $\frac{4}{8}$	136 $\frac{2}{8}$	46 $\frac{5}{8}$	35 $\frac{3}{8}$	2,497 $\frac{3}{8}$	674 $\frac{3}{8}$	27,713 $\frac{2}{8}$
Clutha	39,122	127 $\frac{4}{8}$	86 $\frac{1}{8}$	266 $\frac{3}{8}$	2,754 $\frac{1}{8}$	565	42,921 $\frac{3}{8}$
Eden	8,741 $\frac{3}{8}$	66 $\frac{4}{8}$	65 $\frac{5}{8}$	22 $\frac{2}{8}$	685 $\frac{3}{8}$	760 $\frac{5}{8}$	10,342 $\frac{4}{8}$
Grey Lynn	4,322 $\frac{3}{8}$	28 $\frac{2}{8}$	31 $\frac{3}{8}$	8 $\frac{3}{8}$	226 $\frac{2}{8}$	366 $\frac{3}{8}$	4,984 $\frac{1}{8}$
Invercargill	97,932 $\frac{1}{4}$	85 $\frac{5}{8}$	148 $\frac{5}{8}$	89 $\frac{4}{8}$	3,257 $\frac{4}{8}$	1,082	102,596 $\frac{3}{8}$
Masterton	36,962	104	95	40	1,864	619	39,684
Mataura	32,265 $\frac{3}{8}$	60	1,000 $\frac{1}{8}$	353 $\frac{5}{8}$	1,411	290 $\frac{1}{8}$	35,381
Oamaru	31,649	465 $\frac{3}{8}$	151	54	2,229 $\frac{3}{8}$	374 $\frac{3}{8}$	34,923 $\frac{3}{8}$
Ohinemuri	14,170	46	71	60 $\frac{3}{8}$	750	573 $\frac{3}{8}$	15,671
Roskill	4,472	35	32 $\frac{4}{8}$	6 $\frac{4}{8}$	288 $\frac{4}{8}$	471 $\frac{1}{8}$	5,306 $\frac{5}{8}$
Wellington Suburbs ..	9,653 $\frac{3}{8}$	4 $\frac{4}{8}$	24 $\frac{3}{8}$	7 $\frac{5}{8}$	529	409 $\frac{5}{8}$	10,629 $\frac{4}{8}$
Wellington South ..	7,989	19 $\frac{4}{8}$	28 $\frac{4}{8}$	4 $\frac{5}{8}$	292 $\frac{5}{8}$	230 $\frac{1}{8}$	8,565 $\frac{4}{8}$
Totals	311,602 $\frac{4}{8}$	1,179 $\frac{4}{8}$	1,782 $\frac{3}{8}$	950 $\frac{1}{8}$	16,786 $\frac{3}{8}$	6,417 $\frac{5}{8}$	338,719 $\frac{3}{8}$

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